

By: Flynn

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R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, A 50th wedding anniversary marks a lifetime of  
2 mutual devotion and shared experiences, and Eli and Vicky Clifton  
3 of Canton celebrated this joyous milestone in their marriage on  
4 March 1, 2013; and

5           WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton were joined in matrimony in  
6 1963 at a ceremony held in Dallas; through the years, they have been  
7 blessed with a treasured family that includes 3 children, Lori  
8 Reese and her husband, Andy, Cherri McIlheran and her husband,  
9 Mark, and Stephen Clifton and his wife, Julie, as well as 13  
10 grandchildren; and

11           WHEREAS, Respected members of their community, Mr. Clifton is  
12 an army veteran and a deacon who has worked for Contran Corporation  
13 since 1984, and Mrs. Clifton is a retired medical office manager; in  
14 addition to meeting their work and family responsibilities, they  
15 have been valued members of their church and helped to found Beverly  
16 Hills Christian School; and

17           WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton have enjoyed half a century of  
18 abiding love and affection for each other, and they are among an  
19 exceptional group of men and women who can claim such a lasting  
20 commitment; now, therefore, be it

21           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas  
22 Legislature hereby congratulate Eli and Vicky Clifton on their  
23 golden wedding anniversary and extend to them sincere best wishes  
24 for continued happiness; and, be it further

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1           RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
2 prepared for Mr. and Mrs. Clifton as an expression of high regard by  
3 the Texas House of Representatives.